

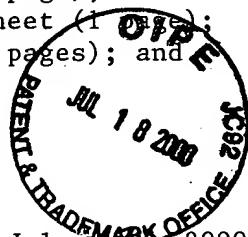
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Dear Sir:

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Enclosed is a copy of the merger document which changed the name and state of incorporation of Assignee from GlobalSpec.com, LLC, a limited liability company existing under the laws of the State of New York, to GlobalSpec.com, Inc., a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware. Also enclosed is a copy of the Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document received from the United States Patent and Trademark Office indicating that the merger document was recorded at Reel 010433, Frame 0596 on December 3, 1999.

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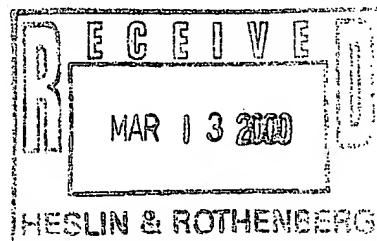
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CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

OF

GLOBALSPEC.COM, LLC

INTO

GLOBALSPEC.COM, INC.

(under Section 264 of the Delaware General Corporation Law)

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It is hereby certified that:

1. The name and state of incorporation of each of the constituent corporations participating in the merger herein certified are as follows:

(i) GlobalSpec.com, LLC, which is a limited liability company existing under the laws of the State of New York ("LLC"); and

(ii) GlobalSpec.com, Inc., which is a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware (the "Company").

2. A Merger Agreement has been approved, adopted, certified, executed and acknowledged by LLC and the Company in accordance with Section 264 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and Section 1003 of the New York Limited Liability Company Law.

3. The name of the surviving corporation in the merger herein certified is GlobalSpec.com, Inc., which will continue its existence as said surviving corporation under the same name upon the effective date of said merger pursuant to the provisions of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

4. The Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Company is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

5. The executed Merger Agreement between LLC and the Company is on file at the principal place of business of the aforesaid surviving corporation, the address of which is 1223 Peoples Avenue, Troy, New York, 12180.

6. A copy of the aforesaid Merger Agreement will be furnished by the aforesaid surviving corporation, on request and without cost, to any stockholder of the Company or any member of LLC.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the undersigned have caused this Certificate of Merger to be signed in its corporate name and on its behalf by its duly authorized officer, as of September 9, 1999.

GLOBALSPEC.COM, LLC

By: John L. Schneiter
John L. Schneiter
President

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